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OUR HALF ACRE

By J. G. UMBRITE,
Field Supervisor
M. D. of Kneehill
Farm Yard Weed Control

Throughout the Municipal District of Kneehill there are many farms that are infested with green tansy mustard and other noxious weeds. While tansy mustard does not give much trouble in cultivated fields it is a bad pest around the farm yard. It makes the yard an unsightly place as well as constituting a fire hazard when ripe. It is a very difficult weed to eradicate under these conditions for the following reasons:

1. It is a biennial, requiring two years to complete its life cycle.

2. If cut off with a mower or scythe it sends up new shoots from the remaining stem. If it is pulled and it breaks off at the root it will grow up again.

3. Like all mustards it produces an abundance of seeds.

Crested wheat grass seeded around farm yards and waste spaces has proven very effective in controlling this weed. Under ordinary conditions it will take about two years for the crested wheat to choke out the mustard. During that time the mustard that grows should be clipped off to prevent as much as possible the formation of seed.

Crested wheat grass should be seeded about the middle of September if moisture conditions are suitable. If there is not sufficient moisture to ensure germination seeding must be delayed until freeze up or as soon as the snow disappears in the spring.

Shallow seeding is very essential if one is to be successful in seeding crested wheat grass. The seed should not be planted any deeper than half an inch. It can be seeded successfully with a double disc drill or by broadcasting the seed, harrowing after.

The appearance of a farm yard can be improved one hundred percent if it is seeded to crested wheat instead of letting it grow up to weeds.

Over 9000,000 To Get Ration Books

When nearly one million people in Alberta go to town during week of September 9 to 16th it will not be to the polling booths of a general election nor to a circus or annual fair. They will be calling for their new ration book No. 6.

Over 900,000 new ration books will be issued in Alberta the Prices Board has announced

Specific days are now being set aside by each ration board in the Alberta region for distribution of the book within the territories. Local papers will carry advertisements showing distribution points and will tell what days these will be open. Local ration boards are cautioning all ration book holders to secure their new books during those specific days, as no further distribution will take place until after September 30. In the meantime the latecomers, those who failed to get their books during the days set aside, will be without ration coupons during the intervening two weeks.

The services of volunteer workers are being enlisted by ration boards throughout the region to assist in the distribution of the new book. All ration book holders are being advised that they must bring their old ration books with them when applying for a new one. Likewise the green card marked RB 191 in the old ration book is to be filled in by each holder and to be presented intact in the book when applying for the new book.

"All information on this card should be printed in pen and ink," a Prices Board official pointed out.

A. F. U. Notes

Our recent balloting to find out what percentage of the farmers would strike if called on to do so resulted in 93 in favor and one against.

This gives you an idea of how the farmers of this district feel towards conditions today.

We now await the decision of our executive at Edmonton. If and when a strike is called, we will be asking all of you to join with us in this effort.

Meanwhile, watch these columns for an article which will be put to you in due course.

NOTE—Unless there is a special meeting called there will be no meeting until the first Monday in October.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

School opens Tuesday for the fall term. Carbon teaching staff includes E. Lambert, J. Todd, Miss I. Gouldie and Mrs. Ritchie.

The A.Y.P.A. enjoyed a show at Drumheller on Tuesday evening.

Dave Poffenroth is renewing acquaintances in Carbon this week.

Gordon Hunt was a Calgary visitor Tuesday.

CARBON

"Tanks a Million" is the show booked for the Scout hall tonight.

Miss Viola Embree left on Monday for a week's holiday.

The carload of cement which arrived in Carbon last week was soon distributed Monday. Many would-be purchasers were disappointed in not receiving any out of this car, but it is reported another car will arrive in the near future.

Understand that Alf Fox can turn a hand at cooking when the occasion arises.

Mr. A. Ross, a former Carbon resident, is in town for a few days.

WANTED—150 bags cement. Apply Chronicle.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. STRANGE

Still Another Hardship
On Farmers

Wheat to Britain is being sold at \$1.55. Wheat to all other countries at \$2.05. The people of all these countries are greatly distressed, their standard of living is low.

In Canada we suffered no damage from the war. Millions of people are better off now than when the war started, particularly industrial labor, and we find that industrial labor and other people are only paying for their wheat, to make into bread and flour, 77 3/8 cents a bushel compared with \$1.55 to Britain and \$2.05 to the peoples of other countries. The farmer is receiving \$1.25 only for this wheat for Canadian consumption. So the farmer is bonusing all the people of

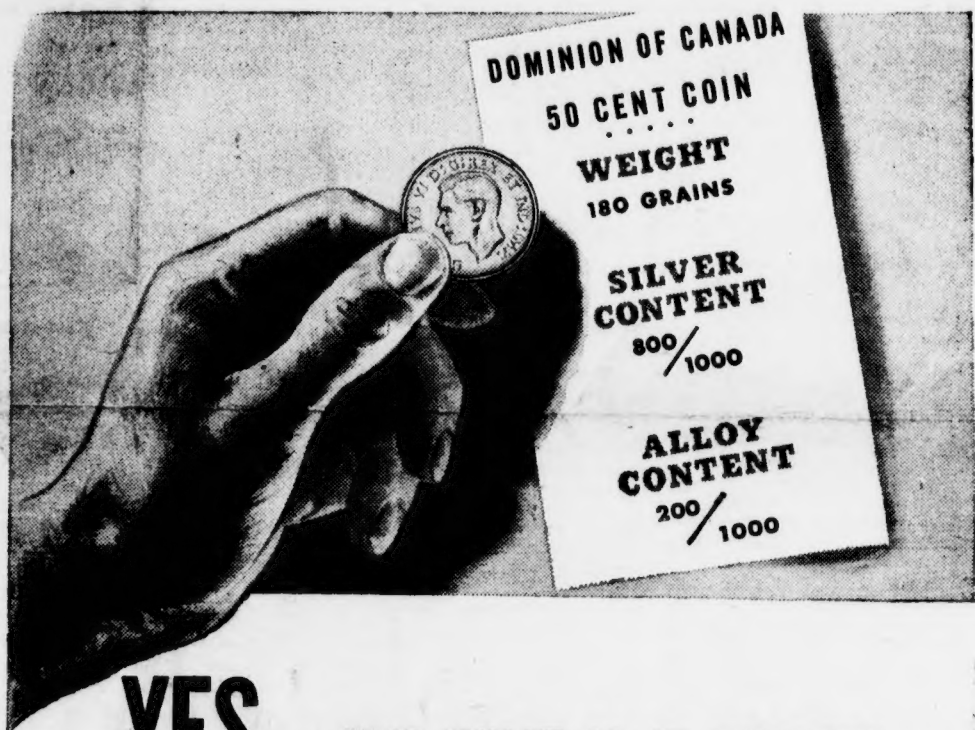
Canada 30 cents a bushel for some 70 million bushels to be made into bread and flour, and in addition the farmer is paying his share of the taxes on the subsidy between 77 cents and the \$1.25 which the farmer receives; and bread today is cheaper than it was years ago.

I suggest that this is wrong, unfair and iniquitous. Surely the people of Canada, who are comparatively well off, can afford to pay a cent more for a loaf of bread so that the farmer can receive a proper price for his wheat.

It's good to know what the matter is, even better to know what matters.

Rain this past week has delayed harvest operations in this district.

Steam power transformed the 19th Century. It will take team power to transform the 20th.



YES...BUT WHAT IS IT WORTH?

Little you care how much silver is contained in the 50c piece you take into a store. What you want to know is what it will buy.

Well, that depends very much on yourself, ourselves, and the millions of others like us. If free and careless spending brings inflation, your 50c piece will buy less and less as prices rise... how much less, no one can say.

You can guard against inflation... and, if you are a No. 1 citizen, you will. How?... By conservation in your personal finances...

Here are five ways you can fight inflation:

- Hold on to your Victory Bonds
- Buy only those goods which are in fair supply and save your money for the day when goods now in short supply will be readily available
- Avoid black market purchases
- Keep up your insurance
- Build up your savings account

This means wise spending and wise saving.

This is conservation—the first requisite for personal security—the first attribute of good citizenship.

This is why we say:

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a No. 1 Citizen
You will look after
No. 1...



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PICTURE SHOWS Scout Hall EVERY THURSDAY

On Thursday, September 5th
RAY MILLAND, BARBARA BRITTON in

"I Love a Soldier"

NEXT—In Technicolor, "HAPPY GO LUCKY"

A Pattern For Peace

FOR MANY YEARS the undefended border between Canada and the United States has stood as an example to the world of the manner in which nations can live peacefully side by side if both have the will to do so. Over a hundred years have passed since there has been any grave dispute between these two countries and as time passes the possibility of serious trouble arising becomes increasingly remote. During the war a joint plan of defense was set up for the protection of this part of the world against possible enemy attack, and had such an attack come there would have been complete co-operation in combatting it, no matter which nation was most vitally concerned. Had Western Europe been similarly united before 1839, the history of the last seven years might have been quite different.

Is A Help To World Court

Mr. John E. Read of Ottawa, one of the fifteen judges of the new World Court of the United Nations, and formerly Canadian representative on the International Joint Commission, who returned from the Hague a short time ago, commented on this matter in a recent press interview. He stated that arbitration precedents set by the United States and Canada during their long history as peaceful neighbors are one of the most important contributions to the working of the new world court. He added that the court also benefitted from the experience of the International Joint Commission of Canada and the United States which he termed "probably the most successful international tribunal ever established anywhere in the world." It is gratifying to know that such a precedent has been set here, and it is to be hoped that it may contribute to the working out of a plan for permanent world peace.

An Example Set For Others

What has been accomplished here should not be impossible for all nations. It must be acknowledged that there are certain extremely favorable factors involved in the relationship between the United States and Canada. There is a common language in both countries and the predominating racial strains in both countries are similar. There are, however, memories of the American Revolution and the war of 1812, both of which are not so far in the past as to be completely forgotten. Yet from these, very little, if any, bitterness has remained. At this time, when the world is facing a new era in which it is clear that many practices and institutions of the past must be discarded, it would be encouraging if the foundations, at last, of any enduring peace between nations could be laid. To do this, the Old World may have to look to the pattern set by the United States and Canada and we may be proud that we have been able to provide this example of peaceful living for others to follow.

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Gives COMFORT Daily

Non-Stirring Paint

May Be Available Within A Few Years

Paints which do not require stirring before use may be available to householders within a few years, as the result of research underway by British scientists.

Reporting the development, Canadian Paint & Varnish Magazine says that "the elements making this new non-stir paint possible are said to be recovered from the sludge of crude oil after gasoline, paraffin and valuable chemicals have been extracted." The magazine adds that a new plant will have to be erected before the paint can be manufactured on any large scale.

In the meantime, the advice of all paint manufacturers to users of their products continues to be "Stir the paint until it is thoroughly mixed before using."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

DECISION

Men must be decided on what they will not do, and then they are able to act with vigor in what they ought to do.—Mencius.

There is nothing more to be esteemed than a manly firmness and decision of character.—Hazlitt.

No man, for any considerable period, can wear one face to himself and another to the multitude, without finally getting bewildered as to which may be true.—Hawthorne.

Be sure that God directs your way; then, hasten to follow under every circumstance.—Mary Baker Eddy.

A determinate purpose in life and a steady adhesion to it through all disadvantages, are indispensable conditions of success.—W. H. Punshon.

A double minded man is unstable in all his ways.—James 1:8.

It has been estimated that the largest of the Egyptian pyramids weighs 6,000,000 tons.

Stop the Itch of Insect Bites—Heat Rash

Quick! Stop itching of insect bites, heat rash, eczema, hives, pimples, scales, rashes, athlete's foot and other externally caused skin troubles. Use quick-acting, soothing, antiseptic **D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION**. Greaseless, stainless. Itch stops or your money back. Your druggist stocks **D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION**.

BECOMING MODERN

Even Ancient Tower Of London Is Conforming With Times

Even dusty history cannot keep progress outside the old grey walls of the Tower of London and today the world's grimmest and most famous fortress is beginning to conform with the times.

People of morbid inclination who visited The Tower before the war heard blood-curdling commentaries delivered with ghoully jollity by old and whiskered warders dressed as yeomen of the guard.

"... and then the 'eadsman took 'old of this 'ere chopper and brought it down with a rare old wallop. And the 'ead popped off like a bloomin' cork!"

Adults shivered while children gaped and the old warder collected a hatful of pennies in return for the lurid detail supplied.

Today these whimsical ancients are gone from the Tower and in their stead is a new type of yeomen—youthful, trim, and friendly, with college-trained voices and a fund of history and archaeology at their finger-tips.

Their language still is colorful and is peppered with up-to-date slang. School children listen open-mouthed to hair-raising tales of last-minute escapes, of bloody executions, and thrilling sieges. But the stories are interwoven with authoritative information about arches and armory, with explanations of why such things happened and of historical trends that led up to them.

There now are 50 yeomen warders in the Tower. They have free quarters, their own club and bowling green, and a small pension which, in line with progress, is to be increased soon. Their job is to guide tourists and police the Tower.

The Tower's biggest attraction, the crown jewels, is expected back next August and with them the keeper of the crown jewels. Meanwhile, the white Tower with its glittering armories remains the biggest "draw".

There are "ghosts", of course, and the star performer, according to the wardens, is still—and will always be—Ann Boleyn.

SOIL FROM BELGIUM

Baron Silvercruys, ambassador from Belgium, presented to President Truman an urn of earth from the Bastogne battlefield where American troops turned back the German offensive in the Battle of the Bulge.

Before the thermometer was invented, physicians measured body heat with their hands.

The English word guest stems from hostis, a Latin word meaning enemy.

WHY HAVE SORE FEET?

JUST RUB IN

MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT



Some fish? Here is a 1,600-pound sunfish which was caught by squid fishermen in California's Monterey Bay. It is believed to be the largest ever caught there.

NOW, MORE THAN EVER,

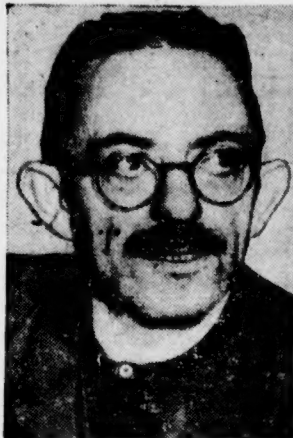
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SAVE TIME...SAVE FUEL...SAVE FOOD!



GOEBBELS' BROTHER JAILED IN GERMANY—Arrested in a remote German village by U.S. agents, Konrad Goebbels, 52, brother of the late Nazi propaganda minister, Joseph Goebbels, seen here, is in jail in Darmstadt, Germany. Ill and unshaven, the former cotton salesman was the "little dictator" of newspapers in Greater Hesse under Hitler.

SPEEDING UP

A new artificial silk machine has been invented in Russia which can spin, process, dry, and roll the thread. Fifty-five feet long, it does the work of five ordinary machines, and in a single hour can produce enough artificial silk to make 100 pairs of stockings.

In the first two years of its life, the little blue heron is white.

William II was England's only bachelor king.

Health
LEAGUE
of
CANADA
+
presents
TOPICS
of
VITAL
INTEREST

SYMPTOMS OF CANCER

Here are some of the facts the public should know: Cancer kills more than 33 Canadians every day and that not only the old are the victims. It will surprise many to know that more children from 5 to 19 years of age die each year from cancer than from the following combined: scarlet fever, infantile paralysis, typhoid, peritonitis, dysentery, diarrhoea. It is perhaps a little better known that one out of eight people over 40 years of age die of cancer.

Ignorance or fear based on ignorance has always been one of the biggest obstacles in the path of progress. So it has been with cancer. While some of the greatest minds in the world are working on research problems which may determine a way to prevent it, millions of people through fear, ignorance, superstition, are falling to go to competent medical authorities until the disease has passed beyond the stage where it can be cured. Many are falling into the hands of quacks and deceivers. It is important that the public should know that surgery, X-rays and radium are the only approved treatments for cancer.

The public must be taught to know the possible symptoms and then not to be afraid of going to a doctor, but to go with hope, knowing that early detection will bring a cure. The following are the signs which may mean cancer:

1. DO NOT NEGLECT any mass, lump, swelling or hardness on the face, neck, lip, tongue, in the mouth, in the breast or elsewhere in the body.
2. An ulcer, sore or cracked lip which does not heal within a month demands attention.
3. Any unnatural bleeding is a sign.
4. Attend to a wart or mole that starts to increase rapidly.
5. Hoarseness which persists past the duration of a common cold may be serious.
6. Difficulty in swallowing your food or indigestion which develops after the age of 40 requires investigation and probably X-ray examination.
7. DO NOT WAIT for pain. Pain is a late symptom.

ASSISTED EDISON

The man whose voice was the first singing voice tested for sound films in experiments of the late Thomas A. Edison, died recently in Toronto. He was Herbert (Bert) Wainwright, 70, native of Toronto, who, early in this century, was a star in Broadway musical comedies and assisted Edison with early talking picture experiments.

In 1792, men wore ties that went twice around the neck and then tied in a bow behind. 2635

Stress Importance of Harvesting Foodstuffs

During the war years many Canadians living and working in villages, towns and cities found time to help harvest the crop. While this is not a war year, the farm labor situation, coupled with serious food shortages in many countries, makes it urgently important that this practice should continue.

If farmers in some localities are short of labor, urban employees may be glad to put in a few days on the farm as part of their vacation, thus earning some extra money. Others may be able to assist on a part-time basis.

At any rate, the importance of harvesting every ounce of foodstuffs is once more emphasized. Your help may save people from starvation. The Drumheller Office of the National Employment Service will be glad to provide information on the local situation.

APPLICANTS AVAILABLE

The following applicants are now available in the National Employment Office at Drumheller:

Men: Carpenter; Clerks, Office, Store; Cook; Fire Boss; Janitor; Laborers, Farm, General, Light, Surface; Walter; Watchmen.
Women: Cashier; Clerks, Bank, Office; Comptometer Operator; Housekeeper; Waitress; Wood Sander.

W. R. FULTON OPERATED CLOTHING, DRY GOODS BUSINESS FOR 30 YEARS

A Drumheller merchant since 1916, W. R. Fulton recently disposed of his ladies wear and dry goods store, the new proprietor having taken over the store on August 1st. A former mayor of Drumheller, Mr. Fulton actually came to the valley in 1910, when he established a business at Rosedale.

William R. Fulton was born at Chesterville, Dundas County, Eastern Ontario, and came West in 1907, locating in the Drumheller Valley three years later when he commenced a business at Rosedale and established a branch store at Nacmone. Mrs. Fulton came West as a bride in 1913.

Mr. Fulton watched the development of Drumheller and since moving to this centre in 1916, he has operated one of the leading clothing and dry goods stores in the community. When Mr. Fulton decided to locate his first store at Rosedale, there were no railroads and no roads in the valley—nothing but rough trails. He bought lumber in Drumheller with which to build his store and transported it down the river on a raft to Rosedale.

During the years 1918 and 1919, Mr. Fulton was Mayor of Drumheller, which was then a town, and it was while he was serving his tenure of office that the question of the building of a municipal hospital here was brought up. He expended a great deal of energetic effort into this movement and when the Board came before the Council to discuss a proposed site, Mr. Fulton strongly recommended that the hospital should be built east of Parkdale (where it stands today), and that the Town would buy the necessary land for that purpose and donate the same to the Hospital Board. The Board Members had brought two other propositions before the Council, and wanted to erect the hospital either north of the river, or atop the hills south of Drumheller. They finally accepted the Town's offer as outlined by Mayor Fulton, who later laid out the park-like grounds, and it is doubtful if a better site could have been chosen.

Alberta Ration Boards Arranging Dates Now For Issuing Book Number 6

Local ration boards in Alberta are now arranging the exact dates during the week of September 9 to September 16 on which distribution of Ration Book No. 6 will take place within their respective territories. Wartime Prices and Trade Board officials announce.

Alberta local ration boards are at: Medicine Hat, Taber, Lethbridge, Cardston, Macleod, High River, Vulcan, Brooks, Oyen, Hanna, Drumheller, Strathmore, Calgary, Olds, Coronation, Stettler, Red Deer, Camrose, Hardisty, Wetsaskiwin, Wainwright, Vermilion, Vegreville, Leduc, St. Paul, Willingdon, Smoky Lake, Westlock, Edson, Lac La Biche, Athabasca, Peace River, Grande Prairie, Dawson Creek, Blairmore, Banff, Foremost, Three Hills, Rocky Mountain House, Lacombe, Ponoka, Jasper, Holden, Evansburg, Sangudo, Bonnyville, McLennan and Barrhead.

Each ration board will select specified dates on which to distribute Ration Book No. 6 to suit local conditions. All boards have been advised that distribution of the new book is to be completed by September 16th. "All ration book holders should arrange to call for their new books on the days arranged by their local ration boards as no further distribution will take place till September 30th," a Price Board official warned. "They will otherwise be deprived of the use of any ration coupons in the meantime," he pointed out.

The new ration book No. 6 is neatly printed and bound in an orange yellow cover and contains fifty coupons for butter, fifty for sugar and fifty for meat. Seventy-five "X" and "Y" coupons are also inserted in the new book should the need for their use arise in the future.

Beiseker Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Plante and family of Swalwell will soon take up residence in Beiseker. Mr. Plante is the new school principal.

Mrs. J. Scheffelmayer and son Arthur spent a day in Calgary last week.

Henry Poffenroth has purchased a truck with a PSV license. A little opposition eh?

Mrs. A. German was at Edmonton last week visiting her brother in law who is confined to hospital there.

Carl Schmaltz now needs a new bow tie to go with his new hat. Taking crooning lessons yet Carl?

Looks as if Jerry Verhaest may be a prominent visitor at Calgary around Stampede week next year.

Miss Gertie Schmaltz, Leonard and Francis Lavoie are going to Calgary to have their tonsils removed.

Lydia Lang is out from Calgary to help with the harvesting. She might even go stooking if she has help. Wonder who?

George Schmaltz has returned from Ontario.

Miss Catherine McCarthy spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Andrew Schmaltz.

'Tis rumored there will be a couple more weddings in town in the near future. (Let's hope the reporter gets a story of at least ONE of them).

There are a lot of "Toothless Tommies" running around town lately. It must be some sort of new fashion or is it a contest?

What's the new attraction in Calgary Joey?

We still notice Raymond Schmaltz and that gal from up north doing a lot of roadwork recently.

Clarence Schleppe, Pat Hagel and Raymond Hagel have returned from picking fruit in British Columbia.

Miss Elva Hawks visited the Velkers over the week-end.

Joe Hagel was the first farmer in the Beiseker district to haul spring wheat to one of our local elevators. He reports it was from spring plowing and that it yielded 22 bushels per acre. The wheat graded No. 1.

Many More Aged Ask Shelter Than S.A. Can Accept

Calls for accommodation for aged men in Eventide Homes and for aged women in Sunset Lodges are so greatly in excess of capacity most applications must be refused, according to the Salvation Army officials.

There are now eight Eventide Homes and five Sunset Lodges operated by the Salvation Army in Canada & appeals have been made to open many more. Some progress has been made this year, two Sunset Lodges and a new Eventide

Home being opened.

Many aged men in centres across Canada are sheltered in Salvation Army Men's Hostels when they should be in Eventide Homes, said Commissioner Oram.

"While these institutions are partly self-sustaining through allowances to inmates, there is a heavy financial burden imposed in providing and furnishing

the buildings and the costs of operation exceed the revenue," he said.

"These old people are economic casualties. Some are in grave difficulties through no fault of their own and others because of their own mistakes. Nevertheless, they require humane care in their declining years. I feel the public is coming more and more to recognize

that it is obligatory that old people without resources or kin able to provide for them should be given the constant help their feeble condition demands. I fear many old folk who should be in homes such as ours suffer from neglect."

Being down on the country won't get by if you haven't helped build it up.

PATRONAGE DIVIDENDS to PIONEER CUSTOMERS

Customers who delivered to us in the season 1942-43 will receive cheques for their patronage dividend as soon as possible after the necessary Legislation has been passed by Parliament.

It will not be possible to pay patronage dividends for the years 1943-44 and 1944-45, as the Government has decided that patronage dividends cannot properly be regarded as an expense for these two years in view of rulings handed down in 1943 by the Department of Justice.

Customers who delivered to us in the season 1945-46 will receive cheques for their patronage dividend as soon as the amount can be determined.

It is our intention to pay a patronage dividend on grain delivered to us in the season 1946-47, if our earnings permit.

Keep in touch with our agent who will inform you when these cheques are ready for distribution.

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\$25,000.00 National Barley Contest
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BARLEY QUOTA INCREASED

to producers of malting barley



Under new instructions issued by the Canadian Wheat Board "there may be delivered from each farm, covered by a delivery permit book, one full carlot of barley accepted by a maltster or shipper and upon which a premium is to be paid for malting purposes.

This means that while the general barley quota remains at ten bushels per acre contestants in the National Barley contest and producers of malting barley obtaining a premium can ship up to one full carlot.

A premium of five cents per bushel will be paid on carlots of barley selected for malting.

Address all correspondence to

NATIONAL BARLEY CONTEST COMMITTEE

206 GRAIN EXCHANGE WINNIPEG

Much United States Military Equipment Was Left Behind In Germany When Boys Went Home

(By Jack Bell writing from Germany to the Chicago Daily News)

THE army went home, leaving its tools behind. The United States demanded return of its sons, but the cannon they used sit in the mud at two dozen great collecting points in beaten Germany—a quarter million huge fields guns, tanks, tractors, trucks, ambulances, jeeps.

On V-E Day, when the guns settled back in sullen quiet, the ordnance equipment in the European theatre represented an outlay of six and one-half billion dollars. Today, with most of it still here, it's worth about 10 cartons of cigarettes, black market.

What's to become of these miles and miles of rusting steel hulks? They're to be demilitarized.

That means the boys will stick chunks of dynamite inside, blow them away so no one ever can use them for war again—and leave them on the hillsides.

Why not salvage them; save the steel, the wheels, the axles, body frames? They're not worth saving. It would cost more to cut them up with blowtorches and haul them to smelters than the metal is worth—far more.

You get a feeling of depression, a sad realization of the waste as you walk among these long rows of war tools. All through Europe from D-Day until the collapse of the German armies they slugged it out.

Then came perhaps the most rapid disintegration of any army in history.

American troops gleefully wheeled the stuff into collecting points or left it alongside the roads and dashed for the nearest exits toward America.

But surely, you will say, something can be salvaged. Sure, Fabrique Nationale, the highly efficient Belgian arms factory founded by Browning, has reprocessed two million small arms during the last year, most of which have come back home.

One hundred and sixty thousand vehicles have been sold, chiefly to European countries. The latest type Pershing and Sherman tanks have been shipped back to America, along with the late model guns in good condition.

All of the technical instruments, binoculars, watches, engines from tanks—everything worth saving—has been or will be removed.

There are trucks by the thousand which can and should be spared because every country in Europe cries for them. But there are no mechanics to do the job, nobody turning out the parts needed to put them back on the road.

We had 113,000 of those famous 6 by 6 trucks here in December—and most of them still sit here. Everybody in the European theatre wants a jeep, the collecting points have perhaps 50,000 sitting idle on the hillsides—but who's going to put in the needed spare parts.

I would say most certainly that these vehicles are deteriorating on the lots. A child can see that thousands upon thousands of really fine tires are slowly rotting. But army ordnance which had 125,000 men, including thousands of trained mechanics on V-E Day, now has 50,000 men, and most of them are recruits with not the slightest knowledge of mechanics.

The waste is staggering of course. The Long Tom, 155 mm. rifle, weighed 25,000 pounds, cost \$91,000.

Luckily there's plenty of unused TNT around to blow it up. Our 240 mm. howitzer cost \$91,000. We had 12,100 tanks on V-E Day and one Sherman cost \$55,000. Tank carriers cost \$35,000 each, our 50-calibre water-cooled machine gun \$582.

They've shipped some 4,000 tanks, 8,000 field pieces and quite a few million dollars worth of technical equipment back to the States. They've salvaged equipment for what army forces remain here, shipped a flock of truck tires to Turkey, sent trucks to Czechoslovakia and other nations. But most of the stuff is going to sit right here.

And perhaps 100 years from now these hillsides will be strewn with weed-covered hulks of de-militarized American fire power, the tanks and guns that helped win the war.

SWORD GOES TO MUSEUM

MARIETTA, Ga.—The sword of a Union officer who was killed in the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain in 1864 has been given to the National Battlefield Park Museum here—82 years after the battle.

The weapon was owned by Capt. S. M. Neighbor of an Ohio infantry regiment, whose family sent it to be displayed in the museum as a memorial.

In A Haze

Man Who Wanted To Be Friendly To A Policeman

A resident of South Porcupine quaffed generously from the cup last Thursday. His normal courage was heightened sufficiently and his confidence in the inherent goodness of man and sinfulness of police officers heightened accordingly.

At any rate he tripped down to the police station in Timmins to tempt a limb of the law with a part potion of the demon brew.

Well what do you know! The officer was honest, upright and on duty. Whether teetotal or not, he refused the proffered potion.

And the character with the Satanic complex, intensified by the fumes from the bottled courage, was required to leave his name and address with the officer for further reference in magistrate's court.

He will probably reason when he appears in court that the whole affair was due directly to the influence of his alcoholic haze. The magistrate will agree and then probably put a price on the fog according to its density.

But there are several morals to this story. Take your pick.

1. Never offer a policeman a drink.
2. Never offer a policeman on duty a drink.
3. Never carry around drinks to offer policemen.
4. Don't drink.
5. Don't buy drinks.
6. Don't buy drinks for policemen.
7. Don't speak to policemen except on business.
8. Don't offer a Timmins policeman a drink on duty especially when you're in the police station, not quite sober and in possession of a bottle of brew in a public place.

There are enough morals there to cover the situation.—Timmins Daily Press.

To Feel Right — Eat Right!



POPULAR JAILED LANDLORD

—Morris Z. Davis appears happy after a night in Louisville, Ky. jail for refusing to evict three tenants from a condemned building. Davis was pleased with the support of his tenants, who described him as "a fine man".

Two-Year Wait

Says Television Will Not Be Available For Canadians Until That Time

Television will not be generally available for Canadians for another two or three years.

K. V. Swinton, manager of the electronics division, R.C.A. Victor Co. Ltd., Montreal, made that statement before a meeting of the Rotary Club in Victoria.

After presenting a brief outline of its history, Mr. Swinton said television was based on the principle that "you can cheat the human eye." He explained his point by mention of the motion picture.

Television dated back to an invention of 1873, the speaker said, and since then there had been a steady stream of discoveries and developments. Millions of dollars were spent perfecting the invention before it was placed before the public, and for that reason it is generally felt there will be no basic discoveries which will tend to make present equipment obsolete, Mr. Swinton said.

Television sets were selling at \$150 in the United States, and ultra-complete units were as high as \$400. The speaker explained that television was highly technical, and to date could cover only a limited area. Television programs would be transmitted on a network basis, as radio programs are today.

"As a public service," Mr. Swinton said, "television is now out of the laboratory stage. Its importance in the entertainment, educational and advertising field cannot be over-estimated."

The Duke And Duchess Of Gloucester Were Entertained By Descendants Of The Bounty Crew

AS Governor-General of Australia, the Duke of Gloucester, accompanied by the Duchess, has been entertained by the descendants of the mutineers of the *Bounty* on the little-known Norfolk Island whose isolation from the outer world was ended by the war. The world which the islanders' forbears renounced six generations ago has stretched forth its newest tentacles to recall them to a strange civilization which before December 22, 1942, relatively few of those living had ever seen.

On that December day, a new epoch was born for the island, because a Royal New Zealand air force plane touched down on the newly-completed landing strip.

For decades Australians have read travellers' tales of how time stands still on this tiny dot in the vast Pacific midway between Australia, New Zealand and the New Hebrides. It has been headlined as a "paradise", a "modern Utopia", a "Pacific Arcadia", where politicians, taxation, divorce, unemployment, housing problems, noxious insects, hotels, poverty, snakes and a host of other stains on human society have never been known.

It is not without a pang that those who knew and loved the island in its garb of another century will watch it succumb to the inexorable march of modern communications. Succumb it will—and indeed the process is already well advanced.

The thousand islanders now own nearly 150 motor cars including jeeps bought under the disposal system from the New Zealand authorities who no longer required them. (New Zealand forces garrisoned Norfolk Island during the war).

Most families own radio sets. The telephone network is spreading out. The grid of a radar installation thrusts its skeleton of steel starkly against the sky at the summit of Mount Bates the highest peak on the tiny 13 miles square island.

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester saw it at its best. They were charmed by the rich, incredible green of the little hills and valleys; the ever-changing opalescent hues of nearby Philip Island; the flaring red hibiscus, wild lantana, exotic yellow cactus flowers, and the delicate mauve water hyacinth. And they were entertained at a traditional island feast.

They sat on the ground at the centre of a tablecloth 50 yards by two yards, which was almost hidden by platters of cold meats, pork, poultry and island dishes, such as pilipi, which is made of sweet potatoes sprinkled with coconut and seasoned with cold fried bananas, served with the meats. There were many fruit dishes.

Hundreds of islanders sat on each side and at the ends of the huge tablecloth. They were delighted with the Duke's informal manner. He was wearing an open shirt and shorts, and showed obvious pleasure at the islanders' reception.

The islanders' reserve soon broke down, and they chattered away in their quaint mixture of old-fashioned West Country English and Tahitian. They were determined that their guests should eat in true island fashion, where it is not polite to leave an empty plate.

One of the many Mrs. Christians (the Christians and the Youngs, Bounty descendants, dominate the population here and on Pitcairn) liberally poured cream over the Duke's third course, crying "Wotterway, you?" (How are you going on?).

The Duchess introduced herself to many women, who referred to her as "our little Duchess".

After the feast was over, and a suitable breathing space allowed, the Duke's party and the islanders adjourned to the nearby Kingston race-course for a special Royal race meeting program of six races.

Curtain Cure-Alls



7005

by Alice Brooks

Window-winners! That's what you'll have if you remake curtains as suggested in these instructions. Use the old material.

If you choose, combine some new fabric with the used curtains and drapes when re-doing. Instructions 7005 has directions for six styles.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

CANNING AT HOME

By this time canning equipment should have been sorted over. Cookers, kettles and jars should all be in good condition. In this year of vast food shortages there was never a greater need for homemakers to prepare for making full use of the perishable fruits and vegetables which already are beginning to be available.

In every community there are organizations ready to give help and direction on the most reliable and practical methods of canning and preserving. Good canning technique will add to the pleasure and satisfaction in putting up jars of fruit and vegetables for use next winter. The time spent will return dividends in better meals and better health for your family.



COSTUMED REDSKINS AT CAPITAL—Chief Poking Fire, his wife, Gathering Words, drummer J. Caldwell and R.C.M.P. Constable Gairns grace parliament entrance as M.P.'s heard from National Brotherhood of Indians. The Indian Act administration, they said, is "bureaucratic and dictatorial".

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Chemical Weed Control

Within the last few years important progress has been made in chemical weed control. Not only have several new chemicals been added to the list of effective herbicides, but remarkable advances have been made in the development of methods for their application.

Herbicides for the control of weeds may be grouped into three classes as follows:

Contact Herbicides. These chemicals kill all vegetation and sterilize the soil for at least two years. Sodium chlorate, which is commonly applied in the form of "Atlacide," is the best known example. This type of herbicide is invaluable for use on roadsides, railway rights-of-way, along fence lines and ditches and for relatively small patches of perennial weeds. It is, however, too expensive for use in controlling weeds over large areas.

Selective Chemicals. If properly applied these chemicals will destroy certain broad-leaved annual weeds without harming the crop plants. Glute sulphuric acid has been used for this purpose for many years; but it is now superseded by preparation of sodium dinitrophenol, which is effective in controlling wild mustard, stinkweed, and certain other annuals.

Translocated Herbicides. These are "growth promoting substances" such as 2,4-D. They not only affect the tissues to which they are applied, but are taken into the leaf and then translocated to the roots and other parts of the plant. They are effective against many different kinds of annual and perennial weeds. It is claimed that ordinary applications do not seriously affect cereals and grasses.

Farmers, grain buyers, and others interested in the use of chemicals for controlling weeds should seek advice through provincial Departments of Agriculture and Dominion Experimental Stations, or from Line Elevators Farm Service. Through "Seedtime and Harvest" we shall attempt to provide our readers with up-to-date information on chemical weed control.

To raise funds for maintenance and expansion of its human welfare institutions, The Salvation Army is seeking \$2,000,000 in an appeal opening generally across Canada on September 16th.

Volunteers Needed

More than 6,000 volunteer workers to help distribute ration book 6 during the week of September 9-16 will be needed by local ration boards in Alberta as was estimated today by the Prices Board officials.

There are 53 local ration boards in Alberta and they will collectively handle more than 900,000 ration books during distribution week. "It is an enormous task to be accomplished within a short period of time," a Prices Board official observed "and for reasons of both economy and speed we have to depend on the help of the volunteers as we did during the war years."

While practically all volunteers who served in former years have again offered their services, there are many opportunities for newcomers to help in this important work. Those who wish to help should offer their services to the nearest local ration board as soon as possible so that all plans can be completed and everything made ready before the distribution begins on Monday, Sept. 9.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

LUKE-WARM TO HOT

By ERNEST MILES

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USUALLY his behavior was calm and patient, but now Luke Cousins began to fidget and fume as he sat waiting on the bench in the reception room of the Tilson Specialty Company.

"Luke-warm," is what his wife, Janie, sometimes called him, and many times she had said, "Why don't you get hot under the collar sometimes and stand up for your rights?" Well, this was one time he felt like taking her advice.

He was placed in this spot because for more than twelve years he had worked for Belmont's as a salesman and having done a good job was considered one of their best men. It came as a real shock when the Miller people absorbed his old firm and, in spite of his record, notified him his services were being dispensed with along with those of most of his old associates.

That had been three months ago and Luke had not yet been able to find a job. Then this Mr. Tilson had telephoned and made a definite appointment for him to call. The advertisement Luke had answered seemed like the very job he could handle, so, promptly at eleven o'clock as arranged, he had presented himself and taken a seat. Luke had high hopes for an interview which would assure him of being busy again in the work he loved.

Now it was nearing twelve and he was still there, waiting, but resenting more and more the run-around he seemed to be getting. Only the thought of Janie and the baby at home, waiting for some real good news, prevented him from leaving there in a huff.

He snapped out of it when his thoughts were interrupted by the switch-board girl. "Mr. Tilson is very sorry but he is still tied up in a conference. He wants you to be sure and telephone him later this afternoon and he will make a new appointment."

Luke couldn't even answer for he was now choking mad. As he swung out of the office he was not only hot under the collar but in a blaze from head to foot.

Out in the hall he noticed the next door was marked "Private". This would be a good chance to face this guy Tilson and tell him just what he thought of him. Luke barged right into an office where a man was sitting alone, with two beautiful toy dolls on the desk in front of him. These were absorbing his attention.

This made Luke madder than before and he lashed right out. "I'm the fellow you just kept waiting for an hour and then were too busy to—" "But—" the startled man broke in.

"But nothing," raged Luke, "if you're too busy playing with a couple of dolls to keep an appointment you made with me, I can tell you I wouldn't want a job with you even if you offered me the best sales position in the world."

Before the amazed man could say a word, Luke dashed out. Then, like a pricked balloon, his anger died as he realized what he had done. What could he tell Janie and just where would he turn now?

He felt weak and leaned against the wall for support. As he was moping his brow he was startled by a voice, "Hey, young fellow, come back here and tell me what this is all about."

Sheepishly, Luke followed the man back into the office, stammering, "All right, Mr. Tilson, I was upset after I'd waited so long, so I guess I made a fool of myself. I'm very sorry."

The man studied him, then, smiling, said, "First, I'm not Tilson. My name is Sam Peters, President of the Peters Toy Company. Tilson's office is next door. Now, tell me what made you charge in like a wild steer."

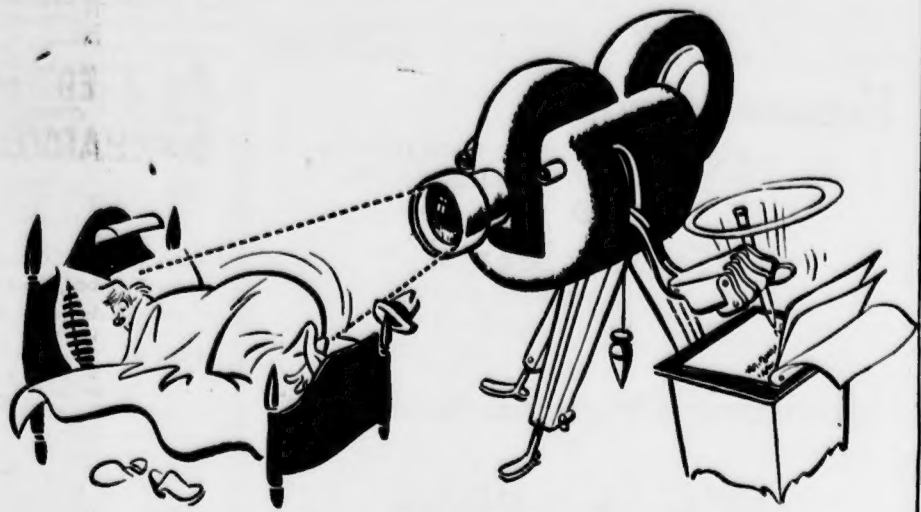
Luke's face was flaming red now as he told his story.

"I would have been hopping mad," said Mr. Peters. "Are you going to telephone Tilson and make that new appointment?"

Luke began to see red again. "No sir, I certainly won't telephone him. I'll just keep on looking and I'll find a job in spite of him."

"That's the old fighting spirit I like. Now let's have a little chat. What sales experience have you had?"

Luke told of his years with Belmont's, the different territories he



EVERY EXTRA TURN HAS A MEANING OF ITS OWN!

The average person shifts position thirty-five times during a night's sleep. This is quite normal and healthy.

But how many times do you twist and turn? It is rather difficult to find out—one cannot exactly ask some member of the household to stay up and count! Yet that would tell the story of how normally you sleep.

Restful sleep is not a matter of how tired you are, what kind of a bed you sleep on, which side you sleep on—it is more likely to depend on the state of your nerves.

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No Doubt About It

Pert Young Barrister Found Out Who His Witness Was

There has been some exchange of reminiscence in one of our local ports (writes a correspondent) about the names of well-remembered fishing boats. The skipper of one of them, called into the witness-box of a court of law, was pertly asked by a young barrister: "What are you?" "What am I?" retorted the old seadog in a voice that shook the court. "I'm the master of the Queen of England, that's what I am, young feller!"—Manchester Guardian.

FOR INDUSTRIAL USE

The British Empire scientists meeting in Oxford, England, for an important discussion on atomic energy completely ignored "Operation Crossroads". No reference whatever was made to it and there was only one passing reference to the atomic bomb. The rest of the discussion was concerned with the industrial application of atomic power and the use of radio-active elements in biological and medical research.

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Mr. Peters listened intently and, with a broad grin, said, "Well, young man, I wouldn't be surprised if you don't have to look any further for that job."

"You mean—" "That's exactly what I mean. Our post-war plans call for a big expansion program. How would you like the chance of being Assistant Salesmanager of the Peters Toy Company?"

"Oh, boy," grinned Luke, hardly able to remain seated, "that is just the kind of a break I'm looking for. Just tell me when I can start."

"Well, you can come and have lunch with me now and we'll arrange the details, that is, if you can spare the time."

"That suits me fine, Mr. Peters. But may I telephone the good news to Janie first, and tell her what a hot number her Luke-warm husband has turned out to be?"

"Sure go ahead and tell her you're the hottest thing in town."

Art Treasures

Stolen During The War, Were Found Near Manchester

LONDON.—Jewels and art treasures valued at \$160,000 stolen during the war from a Yorkshire estate were found strewn along a highway between Sheffield and Manchester. The treasure, owned by the late Louis Cartier, famous jeweller, was hidden in the garage of Ingmire Hall, Sotrage Place, Yorkshire, in 1939. The theft was discovered last November, although, presumably, it had occurred several months earlier.

Rhubarb has been used as a drug in medicine from early times.

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Shakespeare's Plays

Old Volume Has Been Brought To Light In London

LONDON.—An early 17th century edition of nine quarto plays by Shakespeare, which, as far as known, is the only copy in existence in Britain, was shown to connoisseurs at a private view at a London bookshop. Dated 1600, 1608 or 1619, according to indistinct red letters the volume is regarded as a "pirate edition", printed by a man who is not known to have had any copyright.

The art of making glass bottles was known to the Romans as early as the year 79.

Telephones For North

Connecting Medium Will Give Isolated Settlements Contact With "Outside"

Many isolated settlements in the vast northwest which not so long ago knew only the dog team and canoe and airplane as their connecting medium with the "outside", will get telephone connections through a transaction completed between Northwest Air Command and Alberta government telephones for extension of service recently established with the Peace River country.

Some of the points to benefit by the new telephone chain include Wagner and Little Smoky in Alberta; Dawson Creek, Pouce Coupe, Fort St. John, Fort Nelson and other repeater stations in British Columbia and Watson Lake and Whitehorse in the Yukon.

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mocracy can be settled by vio-
lence which injures everybody;
by compromise which satisfies
nobody; or by teamwork which
enriches all.

Marriage rows can end in a
divorce which breaks up the
home and leaves the children at
loose ends; by a grin and bear
it stalemate which is little but
an undeclared divorce, or by
teamwork which gives the
for instead of something to
whole family something to fight
fight about.

International disputes can be
ended by an atom bomb which,
next time, is likely to end the
world along with the war; by
craven mutual appeasement,
which at best is only a breath-
ing spell—a postponement of
the big eruption; or by team-
work where each nation finds
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tenance of unity more import-
ant than the production of uten-
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work with more important than
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holding to the democratic way
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turn, may have different prob-
lems than the newlyweds in
their first tiff. But to all of
their problems there is one and
the same answer. They all de-
pend on revolutionary team-
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OFF THE RECORD

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